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Rev. J. P. Tuttle, Supply.
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Prayer Meeting—Every Wednesday evening at 6½ o'clock.
Seats free. The public are invited to attend.

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Hours of Service—10½ a. m. and 6½ p. m.
Sunday School—9 a. m.
Day of Meeting—Every Wednesday evening at 6½ o'clock.
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Minister—Rev. Simon M. Shell.
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Sunday School—9 a. m.
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Presiding Elder—Rev. S. S. Buckalew.
Minister in charge—Rev. S. H. Mottorshead.
Sunday Services—10½ a. m. and 6½ p. m.
Sunday School—9 a. m.
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Services on Ascension Day, Communion on Friday evening before the 1st Sunday in each month.
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H. C. HOWER, Hats and Caps, Boots and Shoes, Main street, above Court House.

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J. B. McKELVY, M. D., Surgeon and Physician, north side Main street, below Market.

J. B. ROBISON, Attorney-at-Law. Office in Hartman's building, Main street.

SAMUEL JACOBY, Marble and Brownstone Worker, Lutzville, Benton Co.

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DR. H. C. HOWER, Surgeon Dentist, Main st., above the Court House.

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I. S. KUHN, dealer in Meat, Tallow, etc., Centre street, between Second and Third.

C. M. CHRISTMAN, Saddle, Trunk and Harness maker, Saddler's Stand, Main street.

THOMAS WEBB, Confectionery and Bakery, wholesale and retail, Exchange Hotel.

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ORANGEVILLE DIRECTORY.

HERVEY E. SMITH,
ATTORNEY-AT-LAW,
ORANGEVILLE, PA.,
Office opposite James B. Harrison's.
Mar.26,'74—6m.

A. B. HERRING, Carpenter and builder. Shop street in Low Flat.

DR. J. A. MCGARVEY, Physician and Surgeon. Main street, next door to Hotel.

DAVID HERRING, Flour and Grist Mill, and dealer in grain. Mill street.

JAMES B. HARMAN, Cabinet Maker and Undertaker. Main street, below Plum.

LIGHT STREET.

H. F. OMAN & Co., Wheelwrights, first door above School House.

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PETER ENT, Miller, and dealer in all kind of Grain, Flour, Feed, &c. All kinds of Grain purchased.

1SPY.

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ST. JOHN'S (P. E.) EPISCOPAL CHURCH.
Rector—Rev. John Pentz.
Services—8 and 10½ a. m. every Sunday.
Sunday School—9 a. m.
Holy Communion the second Sunday in every month.

DR. E. W. BUTLER,
PHYSICIAN & SURGEON,
Office, on Main street,
Mar.26,'74—y Catawissa, Pa.

WM. I. EVERLY,
ATTORNEY-AT-LAW,
Catawissa, Pa.
Collections promptly made and remitted. Office opposite Catawissa Deposit Bank. 6m-26

WM. H. ABBOTT, Attorney-at-Law, Main Street.

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BUSINESS CARDS.

DR. J. C. BUTLER,
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Office, North Market street,
Mar.26,'74—y Bloomsburg, Pa.

A. L. TURNER, Exchange Hotel. E. P. GARDNER, Residence Market St., 1st door to the west of J. Walter's.

DRS. TURNER & GARDNER,
Office over Kleim's Boot Store,
Jan. 8, '75-y Bloomsburg, Pa.

C. W. MILLER,
ATTORNEY-AT-LAW,
Office in Brower's building, second floor, room No. 1. Bloomsburg, Pa. [July 1,'73—y

C. R. & W. J. BUCKALEW,
ATTORNEYS-AT-LAW,
Bloomsburg, Pa.
Office on Main street, first door below Court House. Mar.6, '74—y

R. F. & J. M. CLARK,
ATTORNEYS-AT-LAW,
Bloomsburg, Pa.
Office in Exchange Building. April 26,'74—y

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All business entrusted to our care will receive prompt attention. [July 1,'73—y

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All business entrusted to our care will receive prompt attention. Sept.11, '74—y

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Bloomsburg, Pa.
Practice in before the U. S. Patent Office attended to. Office in the Columbian Building. 13—3m

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MISCELLANEOUS.

WILLIAM MORRIS,
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Cutting, Cleaning and repairing promptly attended to. First door west of J. P. Wolfinger's three store room, Bloomsburg, Pa. Jan. 6, '75 —tf

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Northern Liberties, Philadelphia	400,000
Penn Fire, Philadelphia	1,000,000
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FREAS BROWN, Agent,
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April 10,'74—y

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H. C. HOWER, DENTIST,
Respectfully offers his professional services to the ladies and gentlemen of Bloomsburg and vicinity. He is prepared to attend to all the various operations in the dental line appertaining to his profession, and is provided with the latest improved LOCAL ANÆSTHETIC, which will be found a great comfort to patients, short and tedious cases to all the new and most approved methods and operations, and all operations carefully and properly performed. Office a few doors below the Court House, same side. [July 1,'73

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Fine Honey-comb Quilts large as $1.25.
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Also a great variety of other goods which we offer at the
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WHERE may be found a full stock of Drugs, Medicines, Chemicals, Patent and Medicinal Preparations, Perfumery and Toilet Articles.

HENDERSHOTT'S GERMAN LINIMENT is proven to be the best internal and external family medicine ever offered to the public. Don't fail to try one bottle—only 50 cents, in large bottles.

A HANDSOME CHROMO picture given to each purchaser of a bottle of Hendershott's Extract for the handkerchief, a delightful perfume—only 50 cents per bottle.

GEORGE WOSTENHOLM'S celebrated English Pocket Knives, Razors, and Scissors, Ladies and Gents Knives in Ivory, Pearl and Shell handles, a full line.

GMELIN'S Hair and Whisker Dye, the best article yet offered. It produces a beautiful glossy black or brown as may be desired—Only 50 cents per box.

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DR. WARREN'S Worm Confections. A safe and effective preparation for expelling worms—never failed to give satisfaction in all cases—25 cents per box.

FOR the best five-cent Cigars, and the choicest Havanas, call at Hendershott's.

HENDERSHOTT'S German Cattle Powder is without equal—doubles the feed-fattening power in the market for horses, cows, swine and poultry—only 25 cents per package.

FOR Chapped Hands and Face, use Glycerine Lotion. Hendershott's Pharmaceutical preparations are noted for the purpose.

Jan.8,'74-y

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THE LATEST AND BEST,

EVERY VARIETY FOR

MEN, WOMEN AND CHILDREN.

Boots and Shoes of every style,
Gaiter Boots with cloth or kid tops,
Gaiters, Slippers, Ballet Boots,
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Heavy Boots for all workers,
Rubber Boots of all kinds,
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Rubber Boots for sporting wear,
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Boots and Shoes for a tiny foot.
Made to order, or ready made:
New lasts made or old ones remodled.
Thirty-five years' experience.

Large variety of Boots and Shoes for Fall and Winter Trade.

New Goods.

BARGAINS!
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Small Profits and Quick Sales

WORK MADE TO ORDER, BY THE BEST WORKMEN AND OUT OF THE BEST MATERIAL.

A share of the Public Patronage is solicited.

GIVE US A TRIAL!

Sept. 25, '74—tf. E. M. KNORR.

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MAIN STREET BELOW MARKET.

ECKHART JACOBS

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BREAD,
BISCUIT,
ROLLS,
CAKES,
PLAIN AND FANCY CONFECTIONERY,
&c., &c., &c.,

To be found in Town.

Ornamental Cakes furnished to order.

Parties supplied. All orders filled promptly and satisfaction guaranteed. March 5, '74

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LETTER HEADS,
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CIRCULARS, &C.,
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And solicits a share of public patronage.

HIS STOCK CONSISTS OF

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QUEENSWARE,
WOODENWARE,
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BOOTS & SHOES,
HARDWARE,
FLOUR AND FEED.

In connection with his stock of Merchandise he constantly keeps on hand in his yard,

A FULL STOCK OF

Dressed and Undressed Lumber,

AND SHINGLES OF HIS MANUFACTURE.

Bill Lumber made a specialty.

CALL AND SEE.

Oct. 3, 1873—tf.

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ALL Kinds of Furniture made to order and finished handsomely and neatly repaired. The quality and cheapness of the work will recommend itself to the public. The undersigned has been for many years in the business and he respectfully solicits a share of public patronage.

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Will be carefully and promptly attended to. Whole rooms furnished throughout. None of his work or stock will be sold at cheap prices and he will not be undersold. When called for in the night time he will furnish the same.

Ready Made Coffins

both of Walnut and Imitation Walnut always on hand. He is the only manufacturer of Coffins in Bloomsburg and all surrounding districts.

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by which a corpse may be easily and safely preserved for any length of time. It is the only preserver that does not destroy the appearance of the corpse, and is highly recommended by all who have used it. HEARSE and CONVEYANCES furnished.

Your Work when done, will please Customers and thoroughly understood, or it will not be done at all. Therefore, it will not be unprofitable, nor be for the interest of the undersigned.

ROBERT ROAN.

Jan. 31, 1873-ly.

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Up and Over Old Methods found to be faulty, or objectionable, discarded.

A NEW AND VASTLY ADVANTAGEOUS PLAN NURSERY ADOPTED BY

G. M. & J. K. LOCKARD

At their Works in Bloomsburg.

White and Red Ash Anthracite Coal,

FOR DOMESTIC PURPOSES, AND

CUTTER, BLACKSMITH AND FURNACE COAL,

of superior quality, kept constantly prepared for delivery at the Yards, And

Plows and Threshing Machines,

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Casting and Machine Work,

executed on reasonable terms and warranted to give satisfaction. Orders solicited and promptly attended to. The usual liberal patronage of the public is respectfully solicited.

G. M. & J. K. LOCKARD.
Jan. 5, '75-ly Bloomsburg, Pa.

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WM. F. BODINE, Iron Street below second, Bloomsburg, Pa., is prepared to do all kinds of

PAINTING,

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in the best styles, at lowest prices, and at short notice.

Parties having such work to do will save money by calling on him.

Work warranted to give satisfaction. Orders solicited.

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Printed at this Office
ON SHORTEST NOTICE AND AT THE MOST REASONABLE TERMS.

Poetic.

BY EARLY BIRD.

"Tis a maxim of old, but one early bird throws o'
And I only repeat it for
Whoever finds out such another song,
Or any kind, while singing along,
Can answer, the subscriber says he knows it who
Can't succeed in it, and I found it thinz.
Quite odd it is that I should write
The chronicle and verse the first of March,
And that the weather should be such
As to bring on a cold with fever and ache
While looking out the window on a mess of snow,
And I, still in bed, to write the wording, we know,
For still we're snowed in.

And there, on a chair, my vanity tried suit,
And with it the hat to match,
I put on in order to make a visit,
And that too without the knowledge of the bell
A [illegible] to make.
"I think, Sal-I-fellow," he twittered and chirped,
"You're looking well for a bird,
You've moulted but have been quite corrupted
By a cat and a bird-cage."
I think you're old enough to know you were;
I know that you are a mere fibber;
And I'll see you at the devil's party first,
And see the master of the mystery say this.

"One by great grandmother carried for you,
And it has puppy-dog eyes,
Which you know is a sign of truth,
Which you know is a sign of truth was near,
And to keep you from a fib and lie,
With the knowledge of the [illegible]
And true intention to speak and speak.

"Mr. Father, sir, I'm a [illegible] sir,
My thoughts I can't tell you,
For I'm afraid you'll be [illegible]
And the [illegible] you'll be said—
"Mr. Father, sir, I'm a [illegible] sir,
My thoughts I can't tell you,
For I'm afraid you'll be [illegible]
And the [illegible] you'll be said—
But I am a bird not caught with chaff,
And I'll [illegible] you
Before I'll [illegible] to laugh,
Or [illegible] you.

"Well, what I've just [illegible] is true,
I've [illegible] you,
Have I not [illegible] to [illegible] you?
Without the [illegible] which were many—
Oh! no—no—no!
Or not in the [illegible] [illegible],
And how [illegible] it is.

"I'm [illegible] [illegible] [illegible],
And [illegible] [illegible] [illegible],
Yes, [illegible] [illegible] [illegible],
And [illegible] [illegible] [illegible],
And [illegible] [illegible] [illegible],
And

The Columbian

BLOOMSBURG, PA.

Friday, March 5, 1875.

The foreign news of the week are of no special importance.

Gen. Lorenzo Thomas died at Washington on Tuesday, aged 72 years.

The semi-annual election in Maine shows extraordinary Democratic gains.

Hotels are rapidly closing in the South, to avoid the penalties of the Civil Rights bill.

Senator Chaffant and Messrs. McHenry and Ryan have our acknowledgments for repeated documentary favors.

Expended tan-bark is being used as a substitute for coal by manufacturing establishments in many places.

Major Geo. W. Grant has been appointed postmaster at Reading. We are assured that he is no relation of the President.

An anti-monopoly convention is in session at Harrisburg. Nearly 200 delegates are present. If dealers in votes are not at its head it may do some good.

The Secretary of the Treasury, Gen. Bristow, threatens to resign He is the best man in the Federal administration and that is the reason why he cannot remain in the Cabinet.

James Murphy, the "Irish Giant," who formerly traveled with Barnum, died in Baltimore, last Friday, of Bronchitis, aged 33. He was about 8 feet high, and weighed 350 pounds.

The rains and thaw of last week caused a freshet in the Schuylkill which did considerable damage to the mills on its banks. The water was within three feet and ten inches of the height it reached in 1869.

The public debt has been decreased during the past month to the extent of $6,680,180 12. This is in consequence of the large payments made by merchants and others because of the prospective increase of taxation and tariff under the bill just passed.

Subscribers to the COLUMBIAN, whether residing in or out of the county, have no postage to pay. We have heard of attempts to collect. If any such are made hereafter, we shall seek a prompt remedy. All postage that is now imposed upon newspapers is paid by the publishers. In no case can it be collected from subscribers.

The article of Prof. Walker, which we print on the first page, is of peculiar and profitable interest to Teachers and students. We can not often give place to such article because of want of interest to general reader, and hence when an occasional one is published it will be well for those interested to give heed to it.

The member from Montour, it was said last fall, was pledged to vote both for and against the repeal of the Local Option law, and considerable interest was felt to known which pledge he would carry out. His hisky promise prevailed, and he votes eadily for the repeal of the law. "So much for Buckingham."

The Bellefonte *Republican* wades through several solid columns in endeavoring to explain why the Republican candidate for the Legislature was defeated at the recent special election, and then winds up with the conclusive information that he had not votes enough! If he had received more than the other chap he would have been elected—so he would!

The locomotive shops of the Dickson Manufacturing Company, in Scranton, Pa., were destroyed early on Saturday morning by fire, which is supposed to have been accidentally started in the office. The building contained valuable machinery, three locomotives just finished, and material for the construction of eleven other locomotives. The loss is estimated at $500,000.

The majority report of the Louisiana committee concludes with a sentence that contains in a nut shell the cause of trouble, and the remedy. They say:

"*In our judgment all that is needed in Louisiana is to withdraw the Federal troops and leave the people of that State to govern themselves.*"

Why should not this simple remedy be tried?

The Radical editors, from the Philadelphia *Press* down or up to the Williamsport *Bulletin*, are in a terrible state of anxiety and perturbation because the Democratic House does not pass more bills. Of course something ought to be done for the relief of these Radical editors, but do the people suffer for the want of more laws? It is the business of the Legislature to legislate for the people, and when they want nothing there is no use of cramming them with provender that must be offensive, if any thing. Some other mode of relieving the Radical editors must be adopted.

Bills for the admission of Colorado and New Mexico as States have passed the Federal Senate and will also probably pass the House. The object is to secure four additional Radical Senators. The former is inhabited principally by gold and silver miners, whose residence is of the most transient character, most of whom are really citizens of other localities. New Mexico, excluding Indians and half-breed Spaniards, is inhabited mainly by the United States army and camp followers, a majority of the latter being fugitives from justice. Of course there is no proper reason for the admission of these territories as States, but the Radicals must have Senators from some quarter, and as the people have turned against them there is no other plan feasable just now.

The entire library of the late Hon. C. L. Ward, of Towanda, Pa., has been donated to Lafayette College. This is said to be the largest and most valuable private library in Pennsylvania, numbering over eleven thousand volumes, and containing many rare editions of the classics, and such costly works as "Lepsius' Egypt," "Nuremberg Chronicles," "Iconographie Francaise," &c., &c.—Few public libraries surpass it in historical works relating to this country. The collection of law books is also one of the most extensive and valuable in the State, and will be of special value to the Law Department of Lafayette, recently organized by the trustees. The gift was made mainly or altogether by the widow of Gen. Wm. H. Miller, who is a daughter of Mr. Ward. The gift is the more generous from the fact that Lafayette college is a Presbyterian institution, while Mrs. Miller is a member of the Catholic church.

Legislative Proceedings.

A test vote on the repeal of the Local Option bill, in the House, stood 128 for repeal and 56 against it—17 absent or dodging. Messrs. McHenry and Ryan from this county support the repeal, as does also Mr. Cruikshank of Montour, while Judge Bedford of Sullivan opposes it. The friends of Local Option fight with great vigor, and throw every possible impediment in the way. The repealing bill will pass the House finally, but will probably fail in the Senate.

The Democrats of the House are making every effort to secure an investigation of the affairs of the State Treasury, but are resisted at every step by the Republicans. The latter moved to add the last Democratic Treasurer to the list to be investigated, which was very promptly accepted by the Democrats, though no fraud is alleged against him, yet the Republicans fight all investigation to the bitter end. Why so? If there is no corruption, no swindling of the people, there will be nothing to expose. If there is, every man is dishonest who opposes investigation and is an enemy of the best interests of the people. Every man who has it in his power to expose a wrong to others, especially a swindle, and refuses to do so, himself becomes a participator in the crime and equally guilty with the principal. This is both law and morals, and is approved by common sense. As the representatives of the Republican party in the Legislature do all they can to refuse information as to the wrong that has been committed upon the people, that whole party becomes responsible for the plunder and crime. About three millions, it is palpable, have been stolen, while Gov. Hartranft was Auditor General. Who has the money? Where did it go? Shall not the thief or thieves be ascertained and made to disgorge, if possible? Shall not the people know all about this swindle? **The Democrats answer this latter question YES**—the Republicans NO!

The question of fixing the salaries of Judges is before the Senate, and has been discussed with much feeling. The contest is between those who desire to fix the salaries at a moderate sum and those who demand an extravagant figure To read the speeches of the latter, one would suppose that there were no hard times, that the people delighted in paying taxes, and that there were no Judges in commission now, and never had been, who were properly qualified. **In the face of the indisputable fact that corruption and incompetency in office keep exact pace with the increase of salaries, the charlatan Senators who demand extravagant salaries broadly assert that it is necessary to raise the salaries in order to obtain competent Judges!** These wiseacres fain tell the people that Gibson, Lewis, the two Woodwards, Black, and whole scores of their peers, who were glad to serve for $1,600 per year, were not properly qualified and that none but grabbers for exorbitant salaries are! What wretched folly to put before a people who claim to be intelligent! But legislators have salary on the brain. Overpaid three-fold themselves, novices for the most part, they naturally think all other officeholders ought to be paid whatever amount they can grab.

The appropriation bill is well through the House, and if the Senate shows an equally economical disposition, it may be passed finally within a week.

Other business, of less general interest, is in progress. Among other bills there is one of very doubtful utility to stay all executions for two years, but under conditions that will not reach the really oppressed classes. A general law that would prevent the forced sale of any property unless it brought two-thirds of its appraised value, might be beneficial, but if adopted at all it should be permanent.

Both Houses have agreed to adjourn on the 18th.. The necessary business will probably all be transacted by that time, but the committee to investigate the Treasury matters ought to have leave to sit during the recess.

The bill to repeal the Local Option law passed the House finally, on Tuesday, by yeas 124, nays 54. McHenry, Ryan and Cruikshank voted yea, and Bedford nay. Dodged 27.

The Senate finally passed the Judges salary bill as follows: Chief Justice $8,500, Associates on the Supreme bench $8,000, Philadelphia and Allegheny Judges $7,000, Dauphin county $5,000, other county Judges $5,000, per year. It is hoped (almost against hope) that the Democratic House will materially reduce these enormous salaries. But governmental extravagance is the order of the day. The object of the Radicals is to exhibit the Democratic House as extravagant as themselves. Will not the Democrats of that body take heed that this slander be not perpetrated?

Constitution Tinkers.

The State Senate has passed the bill proposing amendments to the new Constitution, in the form suggested by the commission on that subject. Few of the present Senators are independent thinkers, and there are fewer still who are not members of rings, who vote by rote. The Treasury Ring, failing to defeat the new Constitution, are endeavoring to destroy it by piece-meal, and these are aided by a ring of Judges who are opposed to the provision preventing their salaries from being raised during their respective terms of office, by the entire school of Legislative roosters, by all plunderers, and by corruptionists generally. These interests may also be strong enough to pass the proposed amendments in the House, with the aid of the entire Republican vote. If they do pass now they will have to pass another Legislature, to be elected in 1876, before they can be submitted to a vote of the people for adoption or rejection. In the meantime there will be ample opportunity for the discussion and consideration of their merits.

Congressional Rebuke of Grant and Sheridan.

The most stunning rebuke ever administered to a public officer of high position in this country, was the passage of a resolution by the lower House of Congress, on Tuesday, by a unanimous vote, directing the re-seating of the members of the Louisiana Legislature who had been driven from the hall at the point of the bayonet by order of Gen. Sheridan. Not a word, not a vote, was there in vindication or palliation of his conduct. The condemnation was sweeping and unanimous, direct and positive. Will Gen. Phil. now request the President to declare the late Congress "banditti?" He could do so with a much better show of justification than he had in the Louisiana case.

Harper's *Weekly*, an extreme Radical paper, opposes the force bill, especially the provision to authorise the President to suspend the writ of habeus corpus, and says:

The President is made the sole judge of the existence of combinations, of their lawfulness, of their purposes and of their power, and he may at his pleasure annul every guarantee of liberty, and imprison without investigation or appeal.

This is the exact character of the bill the Radicals propose to impose upon the country. Armed with such authority, Grant may re-elect himself President in spite of the people, unless the verdict against him shall approach unanimity.

Important Proceedings of Congress.

The proceedings in Congress during the past week have been of unusual importance. All the necessary appropriation bills have been passed, and although all are cut down from department estimates, all are extravagant.

The Civil Rights bill (so-called but in fact a negro equality bill) has been passed by both Houses and signed by the President. In the House a small number of Republicans and all the Democrats, and in the Senate six Republicans and all the Democrats voted against it. The school and cemetery clauses were abandoned by the friends of the bill as the Radical leaders could not work up the more moderate members of their party to vote for them. As the bill stands it enacts that "all persons within the jurisdiction of the United States shall be entitled to the full and equal enjoyment of the accommodations, advantages, facilities and privileges of inns, public conveyances on land or water, theatres and other places of public amusements, subject only to the conditions and limitations established by law, and applicable alike to citizens of every race and color, regardless of any previous condition of servitude." Any person violating the law is subjected to a fine of not less than $500 or more than $1,000, or be imprisoned not less than thirty days or more than one year, and "aiders and abettors" are placed on the same ground as principals. If any Jury Commissioner "shall exclude or fail to summon" a citizen as a Juror because he is a negro, he is subject to a fine of not more than $5,000. U. S. District Attorneys, Marshalls, Deputy Marshals, and Commissioners appointed by the U. S. Courts, are required to return all cases of the violation of the law that come within their knowledge under a penalty of $5,000. Proprietors of hotels, places of amusement, public conveyances, &c., had better be careful therefore how they treat the "gemmen of color" hereafter. White men may be refused, or kicked out for cause, but lay no hand upon the kinkey-head! Any white man may be rejected as a Juror, for any reason or without reason, but no longer the darkey! The latter are now a privileged class, having rights that need not be respected in others. And all this must be done, not to satisfy any body's judgment, but to give additional plundering power to the carpet-bagger.

The force bill—another measure to give power to the carpet-baggers and to enable Grant to re-elect himself for a third term—has also been driven through the House, under the party lash, although about 30 Republicans refused to swallow the bitter dose and voted against it. A desperate effort is making by the Radical leaders to pass it in the Senate, with a present probability of failure. It authorises the President to suspend the writ of habeus corpus in several southern States and thus enable him to control their votes for re-election. The attempt was made to give him similar authority in all the States, but failed, there still being some Republican members who fear the people.

The Tax-Tariff bill (noticed last week) passed the House, but was laid on the table in the Senate, after a long and acrimonious debate, by one majority. It is supposed to be killed.

Grant expresses his determination not to re-assemble Congress under any circumstances. His pleasures are evidently uppermost in his mind, and his passions will at all times control his actions.

The 4th of March (Heaven be praised) closed the career of this Congress, by law, but, by a refinement of the rules of perversity, it will continue to hold through a portion or all of the 5th, maintaining that the session of the 4th continues until the adjournment of that session is agreed to, and in this way it may linger a day or two longer, but the moment it does adjourn after the 4th it is dead, and relief from its continued existence may therefore be looked for with some degree of confidence.

Of the Civil Rights bill, it may be stated, it permits appeal to the Supreme court, and as a case there cannot be reached under two or three years, its penalties cannot be enforced in less than that time. The leading lawyers in Congress are of the opinion that it will be decided unconstitutional. The United States Courts have exclusive jurisdiction under the act.

The House has rebuked Grant for his Arkansas message, passing a resolution against interference with that State by yeas 149, nays 80.

On Tuesday the Tax-Tariff bill was taken from the table of the Senate by a vote of 26 to 23. On the same day the bill passed the Senate without amendment by yeas 30, nays 29. The President will sign it. It is claimed by its friends that it will yield a net revenue of fifty millions annually. Its enemies say this is all bosh, and that while all admit it will heavily tax the people, it will yield no material amount of net revenue. The whisky dealers were generally for it—the whisky makers against it. It taxes all forms of tobacco, sugar and molasses heavily.

A resolution to rescind the resolution of censure passed upon Gen. Cameron in 1863, by the House, passed that body on Tuesday.

A resolution directing the re-seating of the five members of the Louisiana Legislature expelled by the military, was adopted unanimously. By way of soothing the President's feelings a majority of the Republican members passed a resolution recognising Kellogg as Governor of Louisiana.

A resolution was adopted by a large majority directing that there shall be no interference whatever with the government of Arkansas by Federal authority. Another stinging rebuke of Grant!

The School Book Imposture.

We are informed from Harrisburg that that immense fraud, the bill to require the adoption and use of a uniform series of school books throughout the State, will be pressed with all the energy and power of corruption, and that the conspirators have succeeded in enlisting the support of the Radical State Ring in its behalf. Don Cameron, Mackey and all the heads of the Ring are earnestly pressing this the coolest piece of public robbery that has been attempted since the famous nine million steal. The profits under the contract proposed to be created will probably reach a million of dollars annually, and during the first year will no doubt greatly exceed that sum.

The Democratic House will have a fearful account to settle with the people if it dares to pass this infamous measure, and any Democrat who votes for it ought to be politically gibbeted. If passed, it will no doubt be followed with compulsory education, and the same grabbing Ring will soon demand the State appointment of all the Teachers, all expenses of schooling to be paid from the State Treasury, the Ring to have the manipulation of the money, boards of Directors to be abolished and the people to be deprived of all control over their schools and their children! Measure by measure the corrupt Ring will endeavor to enforce their schemes, and the State School Book business is the entering wedge. Venal Democrats may be bribed, but certainly no honest Legislator of that party will support any such measure.

The Beecher-Tilton Debauchery.

One of the good signs very apparent is that the newspapers no longer spread all the disgusting details of this dirty trial before their readers, and a better sign is that people outside of Brooklyn at least have ceased to feel an interest in it and are generally indifferent to the result. But we occasionally see such talk as this in newspapers—we extract from the Bellefonte *Watchman*—viz:

Some newspapers affect to sneer at this trial, as if the result of it did not make any difference. But it does make a difference. If Mr Beecher is guilty, the public ought to know it If he is innocent, the conspiracy by which his great reputation has been befouled, ought to be shown up.

Now, pray Mr *Watchman*, what different estimate from that long entertained will you place upon either Beecher or Tilton, whichever way the jury may decide? Both debauchees and profligates in politics and religion, hypocrits and vain pretensious fanatics, debasing and polluting pulpits and churches for over twenty-five years past, how much better or worse will either be whether or not the characters of adulterer and wittol be attached to them by a jury verdict, the members of which can not be worse and may not be much better than either? You know that both sought for years, by the grossest falsehoods and inflamatory libels to embroil the whole people of this then happy, peaceful and prosperous country in domestic war and general destruction and butchery of each other, that they with their coadjutors succeeded in immersing the country in the blood of its people and filling the land with woe, and that they and their kind are justly responsible for all the horrid crime and wrong that followed upon the heels of the war, as well as for the past and present oppressive taxation and poverty of the country What vindication from a particular crime, however revolting and infamous, can set the characters of these scoundrels in a better light before the public? Why desire any body to have a good opinion of them in view of their past villainy? They have both established during this controversy, by proof and confession, that if they have not been technically guilty of all that either imputes to the other, that it has only been for want of opportunity. Both confessed associates and confidants of Victoria Woodhull (who procured a divorce from her husband in order that she might live with him in an unmarried state,) and holding other equality atrocious views and following other equally immoral practices, dining and wining with her and her associates, while they at the same time were filling pulpits and instructing congregations in morals! You want these characters vindicated by a jury, forsooth, against a single scandal—or rather, a decison had which of them is the greater scoundrel in a particular piece of most offensive, repulsive and infamous villainy? Would it make Satan any better to get a jury to decide that he was not the author of a particular wrong that some churly rogue had committed? Confusion to such morals!

More Plundering!

The shrewd speculators who have King Calico in charge did not exhibit him in this country, (solely at expense of the United States,) for mere show. Sugar is the only export production of the Sandwich Islands that is of material consequence. The tariff paid to the United States on it amounts to about a half a million of dollars in gold annually. While Calico was here his keepers managed to get a "reciprocity" treaty signed by which all the productions of the Sandwich Islands are to be admitted into this country *free of duty!* This is making these speculators, about twenty-five in number, a present of half a million in gold annually, for the exportations to the Islands from this country amount to literally nothing! Whether our Radical authorities at Washington have obtained a private interest in the sugar plantations, or whether they executed this one-sided treaty merely from admiration of the negro King, is not apparent. In any case a half a million in gold is annually filched from the Federal treasury, and this must be made up by the tax-payers of this country.

When an end was put to John A. Small as the beneficiary of the pensionary office of Resident Clerk to the House of Representatives at Harrisburg, people who did not appreciate the irrepressible character of his genius vainly imagined that a horse-leech had at length been choked off of the State treasury. Vain imagining! Those innocent minded people did not appreciate the expansive character of Smull's genius for appropriating the people's money! Just now he has succeeded in boring a bill through the Legislature to print 3,000 copies of his "Hand Book"—a worthless publication in view of the fact that it supplants standard authority—at a price that will again make his rapacious pocket happy! Alas! how readily our Legislators are humbugged! But the people pay for it!

Judgment Notes, their Force and Character.

An attempt was recently made and defeated, but will no doubt be followed up, to place judgment notes on a footing with ordinary promissary notes payable to order, the object being to enable usurers to transfer the paper and thus cut off any defence for want of consideration as against usurious interest. In discussing the subject, the *Montrose Democrat* has the following, which will be found of general interest:

In the State of Pennsylvania to-day by decision of the State Courts, declaring judgment notes constitutional, creditors are better protected and greater hardships are imposed upon the debtor, as the law now stands, than is the case in any other State in the United States. Some forty or fifty years ago the State of New York adopted the same kind of judgment note that is now used in this State, but it was contested through the State Courts and carried to the United States Court and decided to be unconstitutional.—It is questionable even in this State, whether, if the case should again be brought before the Supreme Court, they would dare risk their reputation as jurists by confirming the old decision.

To give our readers a clear idea of what is meant by "not transferable" we will explain. It may be supposed that by it is meant that no one can sell a judgment or note. This is not the case. Every transaction of that kind is as salable as a horse or a cow is, under the present law. What is "not transferable" is the Shylock bonus, the fraud, the want of consideration, the patent right robbery, or any other duress of circumstances which the maker of a note may set up as a valid defense as against any person holding the note or judgment. If a judgment note is honestly obtained and for value received, it is as negotiable for all practical and honest purposes as it is ever necessary that it should be. Under the present law, execution may issue at once, without any proof of lawful claim on the part of the holder of the note and the Sheriff can levy on the last pound of pork in the barrel of a poor unfortunate family, and oblige the maker of the note to prove that it is *not* an honest claim, at a great expense, as plaintiff, instead of defendant.

The expense is often so great that it is impossible for the debtor to interpose it against the grasping, heartless, law-breaking Shylock. Every kind of note that is transferable in any other State is transferable in this State to-day. It is only the "cut-throat" notes, that give the heartless Shylock the power to lead on his victim by fraud and in violation of law, both Divine and human, until he has not only robbed him, but also his innocent family, of their last means of support, that is not transferable. Every other note or claim in this State or any other, must be proved to be an honest debt before a defendant can be harrassed by an execution. When we say the creditor, already, is better protected in this State than in any other, we substantiate it in the fact that by a judgment note the debtor is made plaintiff and is obliged to show a claim to be dishonest, whereas, in other States, a creditor must prove his claim to be just, before he can, in any way distress a debtor or his family. We might adopt the same principle in our criminal code and oblige a party, arrested for a crime, to prove his innocence, instead of compelling the Commonwealth to show his guilt. In view of the facts, as we have above stated them, we ask every honest man in the State of Pennsylvania to show us who has any interest in the making of judgment notes negotiable, but those who now have their sates well filled with such notes, loaded down with illegal "bonus," and who intend in the future to continue to rob and plunder the indigent and defenseless by their wicked and unhallowed extortion.

About Sewing Machines.

To the Editor of the COLUMBIAN:

You copied an article, February 19th, headed "cheap Sewing Machines," from an exchange, which stated that small manufacturers are forced to pay the combination forty dollars for use of the four motion drop-feed on each Machine manufactured.

The truth is the patent on above drop-feed expired one year ago. Congress has refused to renew it and any company could use it the last year without cost. Most of the cloth and heavier Machines have never used it.

The Bachelder's has three years to run yet, and covers any feed which rises up through a plate being surrounded on four sides by a table, any feed which moves horizontally.

In 1856 it was argued by the combination, that twenty-four or more companies should be licensed to prevent the making of Sewing Machines sinking into a monopoly, and the price of any or all of said combinations patented since 1860, has be en seven dollars.

Concerning the cost of said Sewing Machines being only twelve dollars, this may apply to many of the inferior machines that would be dear at any price.

But to make one of the leading machines with the best and hardest steel in all the principle wearing points, properly constructed and balanced in all its bearings, that will make several hundred perfect stitches a minute in most any kind of goods, and run twenty or more years without costing a dollar for repairs, are the ones for farmers to buy. Though the price appear high at first, they are worth more than they cost, and every farmer should have one. D.

Frequent attempts are made to fire the War and Navy Departments at Washington, and each time large quantities of papers are destroyed. When a Democratic Congress comes to investigate the corruptions of these Departments, the cry will be the papers are burnt!

There is said to be an active iron market, advancing prices and a better feeling in the Lehigh valley, which is extending to the country generally.

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March 5, 75-3w Administrator.

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IN THE ESTATE OF CLEMUEL G. RICKETTS, Late of the township of Orange, in the County of Columbia, deceased.

The undersigned having been appointed by the Orphans' Court of said county, auditor to make distribution of the balance in the hands of Emanuel Lazarus, Administrator, cum testamento, annexo, &c., of said Clemuel G. Ricketts deceased, to the parties and others entitled to the fund in hand, will meet all parties interested in said estate at the office of Freze & Everly, in the town of Bloomsburg, Pa., on Thursday, the 8th day of April next, at 9 o'clock in the forenoon of said day, at which time and place all parties interested will attend and present their claims, or be forever debarred from coming in for a distributive share in said estate.

M. E. JACKSON,
Berwick, March 5, 75—4w. Auditor.

IN THE ORPHANS' COURT OF COLUMBIA COUNTY.

In the matter of the partition of the real estate of Burton W. Waples, late of Scott township, deceased:

To Susanna Waples widow, and Burton G. Waples Ann Elizabeth Waples, Sarah Louisa Waples Mary S. Waples, John W. Waples Susannah Waples and Hannah Wallace Waples, heirs and legal representatives of the said Burton W. Waples, deceased:

Notice is hereby given to the above parties that by virtue of a writ of partition, issued out of the Orphans' Court of Columbia county, an inquest will be held and taken upon the premises therein described, situate in Scott township, in the county aforesaid, and in the Borough of Danville, in the county of Montour, on Monday and Saturday, the sixteenth and seventeenth days of April next, at 9 o'clock, A. M., for the purpose of making partition or valuation and appraisement of the said real estate, as the law in such will required, at which time and place the said parties can attend if they think proper.

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1 Grand Cash Gift		25 000
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BLOOMSBURG DIVISION.

Time-Table No. 39. Takes effect at 4:30 A. M. THURSDAY, DECEMBER 10, 1874.

NORTH.			STATIONS.	SOUTH.		
p.m.	p.m.	p.m.		a.m.	p.m.	p.m.
12 25	8 35	1 15	Scranton	11 0	2 20	6 30
12 11	8 21	1 05	Bellevue	11 4	2 26	6 35
11 1	8 23	1 0	Taylorville	11 9	2 30	6 41
11 46	8 13	1 25	Lackawanna	10 17	2 41	6 50
11 5	8 5	1 16	Pittston	10 25	2 50	7 00
11 50	7 59	1 10	West Pittston	10 29	2 55	7 09
11 10	7 53	1 05	Wyoming	11 34	3 1	7 11
11 0	7 43	1 00	Sutton	11 38	3 06	7 16
10 54	7 37	12 54	Falls	10 45	3 15	7 25
8 15	7 35	12 44	Kingston	10 50	3 20	7 35
8 17	7 30	12 41	Forty Fort	10 55	3 25	7 4
8 12	7 25	12 36	Plymouth	11 00	3 30	7 50
8 08	7 21	12 32	Avondale	11 04	3 34	7 54
8 00	7 15	12 26	Nanticoke	11 8	3 40	8 02
7 45	7 5	12 16	Hunlock's creek	11 18	3 5	8 15
7 38	6 58	12 07	Shickshinny	11 22	4 0	8 25
7 30	6 45	11 46	Rick's Ferry	11 46	4 2	8 5
6 57	6 28	11 30	Beach Haven	11 53	4 28	9 05
6 50	6 21	11 24	Berwick	12 0	4 35	9 0
6 32	6 3	11 22	Briar Creek	12 3	4 50	9 10
6 27	6 08	11 17	Willow Grove	12 12	4 58	7 18
6 20	6 02	11 11	Lime Ridge	12 17	4 56	7 25
6 08

THE COLUMBIAN.

BLOOMSBURG, FRIDAY, MARCH 5, 1875.

Rail Road Time Table.

LACKAWANNA & BLOOMSBURG RAIL ROAD

	South.	North.
Mail Train	10:15 A. M.	5:12 P. M.
Express Train	3:43 P. M.	10:32 P. M.
Accommodation Train	8:50 A. M.	1:47 P. M.

CATAWISSA RAIL ROAD.

	South.	North.
Accommodation Train	6:38 A. M.	7:50 P. M.
Regular Express	3:38 P. M.	11:05 A. M.

Through cars on Express train either to New York or Philadelphia. Accommodation train runs between Catawissa and Williamsport.

Vendue notes, just printed and for sale cheap at the COLUMBIAN office.

The Reading Railroad Company is thoroughly repairing the river bridge at Rupert.

Some of the newspapers talk about shooting the man who predicted a mild winter this time!

Tremendous floods and ice gorges have been doing great injury in some sections of the country.

March not only came in like a Lion but like a regiment of them. It is to be hoped he will be true to his legend and go out ever so lamb-like.

During the past month Chief of Police Woodward has made eight arrests for drunk-ness, each of whomspent one night in the Lock-up, and three on warrant, two of whom are now in jail.

As this is the time of year to settle up, business men will need bill heads, statements, envelopes, note and letter heads printed. Call at the COLUMBIAN office for printing of every description. Prices reasonable, to suit the times.

Bloomsburg is the popular resort for Danvillians on Sunday.—*Montour American.*

A good many villans visit this place from Danville, on both business and pleasure, but we believe our people have discovered no villains among them.

At last, says the Williamsport *Bulletin*, it has been our good fortune to see a Philadelphia paper with some spirit in it, it was wrapped around a bottle of gin. How many Williamsport editors are wrapped around a bottle of Schnapps is not stated.

An exchange says, a female teacher in our public schools gets $250 the first year. A family servant gets, say $2 a week and her board, which is equivalent to $5 more, makin; $364 a year. Where is the man who proposed to reduce the salaries of female teachers?

Several of the young men of Bloomsburg have organized themselves into a society to be known as the "Centennial Dramatic Association." At several former times there have been dramatic associations formed in Bloomsburg and always proved very successful.

M. E. Walker, editor of the *Mountain Echo*, on Shickshinny, has been elected to the high and honorable position of Chief Burgess over two competitors. Hats off, gentlemen.—*Plymouth Index.*

Mr. W. is an ex-Bloomsburger, and will of course make an efficient magistrate.

A wealthy Pittsburgh merchant said: "I always feel happy when I am advertising, for then I know that, sleeping or waking, I have a strong though silent orator working for me—one who never tires, never sleeps, never makes mistakes, and who is certain to enter the households from which, if at all, my trade must come."

John Tucker, (colored) porter at the Vanklirk House, Northumberland, received twenty-four votes for assessor at the recent election.—*Sunbury Democrat.*

John is a black diamond of more than ordinary brilliancy, and is bound to shine whether in office or out. The distinguished African is well known to the habitutes of Brown's Hotel, Bloomsburg.

An exchange says, some humbugging individual is traversing the rural districts peddling a preparation to render coal oil non-explosive. He charges $6 for this powder which is nothing but common salt. There is an increasing demand for stringent laws against these traveling agents, for in scarcely one case out of a dozen is the article offered for sale of any value whatever.

The Almanac makers must revise their list of seasons. Here in the first week in March snow is falling almost daily, sleighing is No. 1, cold is satisfactory and often intense, and we have all the usual accompaniments of mid winter. Coon, Groundhog & Co. have proved themselves good prophets, and though Easter will reach us before March ends, the change will have to be decided and rapid if it brings Spring with it.

SALES.—The following register of sales will be of interest to buyers as well as those who expect to sell, and have not yet fixed the day:

Henry Gitling, of Main township, offers personal property at public sale on the 22d of March.

Thomas Knorr and Sylvester Zimmerman will sell fresh Cows, farming utensils, household furniture, beddings, smoked meat, &c., at vendue on March 23d, at the mouth of Fishing Creek.

The new Council organized last week, as follows:

High Constable and Chief of Police—M. C. Woodward.
Secretary—W. Wirt,
Auditors—C. G. Barkley,
Treasurer—W. B. Koons,
Street Commissioner—Elisha Barton.

The new policemen are not yet appointed. Mayor Lowenberg is President of the Council by election of the people.

THE LAWS OF SLIPPERY SIDEWALKS.—In McLaughlin vs. The City of Cory, 7 Leg. Gazette, 13, the Supreme Court of Pennsylvania hold that a municipal corporation is responsible for injuries to a foot passenger caused by a dangerous accumulation of ice and snow on the sidewalk. The principle laid down in the case is this: "A municipality cannot prevent the general slipperiness of its streets caused by the snow and ice during the winter; but it can prevent such accumulations thereof, in the shape of ridges and hills, as render the passage dangerous." This point is sustained by Collins v. Council Bluffs, 33 Iowa, 324; City of Providence v. Clapp, 17 Howard; Luther v. Worcester, 97 Mass. 269.—*Albany Law Journal.*

We have a vague report that a young man in Catawissa is suffering from that most dreadful of all diseases, hydrophobia, resulting from the bite of a cat. We have been loth to believe that there was such a disease, in this country at least, but in the strongest cases of spasmodic affections of a nervous or muscular character, resulting in convulsions and death, which most nearly resembled hydrophobia, they generally resulted directly or indirectly from the bites of cats. They are the originators of all the diseases of this country that are termed hydrophobia, and under any circumstances the result of a severe bite from them is malignant and dangerous. Without affection as a pet, almost utterly useless for any purpose, malicious and treacherous, destructive of the little semi-domestic birds that would gather around our premises except for them, always dangerous to children, and a nuisance in general, we never could see what they were kept about for. We hope the case in Catawissa is not hydrophobia, or anything nearly so dangerous.

To quit advertising in dull times is like tearing out a dam because the water is low.

A wild animal of a species not known in this section of country, it is claimed, has been prowling about Scott and Mt. Pleasant townships and the suburban portions of this Town, for some time past, and some people in those parts are said to be terror-stricken. It has been seen by a number of the citizens of Mt. Pleasant and Scott, but cannot be named. We have not been favored with a clear description of its horns, tail and hoofs, or whether it has any, but if all that is said about the mysterious animal be true, it must be, if not Clootie himself at least some one of his commissaries, and in that case the remedy is apparently to your churches and prayers. It cannot be anything worse—there is consolation in that—and as it has been about so long and not yet carried any body off it is not probable that it means to meddle personaly with people and is likely only looking after poultry, though we have not heard of it disturbing anything. It will at least, be well enough, however, for bad boys and other night runners to keep inside their houses during unreasonable hours. It may be a sort of supernatural police on all fours, set up for their especial benefit. We have no doubt it can be seen any night any where in the suspected district, if closely looked for, especially by the terror stricken or those who may unfortunately be a little or much fuddled. At any rate, if they will send it to this office, whether fiend or animal, we will endeavor to name it and give some account of its character—provided it has more than two legs.

The old Town Council, both a distinguished and extinguished body, fired a parthian arrow before its demise in the shape of penalties upon a dozen or two of our citizens for not keeping the snow out of the streets along their premises. Men who perpetrated a nuisance all winter by allowing snow and ice to remain on their pavements, were passed over with a sort of negative commendation, and others who used the gutters as receptacles for coal ashes or any other nuisance they might deposit there were complimented with a quick but unexpressed thank-ye by being passed over, but wherever any could be found who had made a fair and industrious endeavor to keep their side-walks clean they were visited with all the terrors of a municipal fine!

Those very few citizens along Centre street who kept their pavements clean but neglected to shovel the snow from gutters were special objects of vengeance, but where neither was done, no direct action was taken. The reason of this is understood to be that the Councils undertook the erection of a skating park on 5th street, between Centre and Market, which is to be turned into a frog pond in the summer. To this end the skilful manipulation of the grave fathers has filled the adjacent cellars with water, as a retreat for the frogs in hot weather and as a place of refuge from stone-throwing boys. Any neglect to drain all the water possible to this point, was of course open rebellion against the purposes and dignity of the Town dads, and has been adequately punished. The retiring commissioner is also understood to have been specially gracious to people who pile coal ashes in the gutters, regarding the latter as ornamental if not useful. Whether the new Council will have any lively appreciation of the virtues of the 5th street pond remains to be seen.

FOR RENT.—A good two-story frame dwelling house situated on Court House square in the rear of Mrs. Ent's Brick building. A fine garden attached to the place—Possession given on the 1st of April, 1875. For further particulars, apply to Mrs. W. H. ENT, East Main Street, Bloomsburg, Pa.

My Dwelling House on East Street, Bloomsburg, for rent or sale
WM. KRICKBAUM.

FOR RENT.—The Law Office in the COLUMBIAN building now occupied by C. G. Barkley. 2t-9
Apply to, C. B. BROCKWAY.

Fresh arrival of Wool and Cotton Carpet Chain, at C. C. MARK'S.

Boot legs, hand fitted, as E. M. KNORR'S, French and American Calf.

You ought to go and see I. W. HARTMAN'S new Black Alpaca.

GEO. A. CLARK has just received a large Stock of Picture Frames, and Cornice Moulding and is prepared to have either made to order on short notice. For prices go to CLARK or ROBERT ROAN.

Mrs. E. W. WYNKOOP will, again open her School on the 5th of April, 1875. 3t-9

ROLLINS & HOLMES have removed to No. 17 Centre Street, below Main.

New Hamburg Edgings this week at CLARK & WOLF'S.

RUSSELL has a splendid lot of
Peach Butter,
Apple Butter,
Quince Butter,
Cranberries, Raisins, Dried Currants, Peaches, Prunellas, Corn and all Canned Fruit.

New Calicoes at MARR'S.

New Black Alpacas at CLARK & WOLF'S this week.

Don't be worried and annoyed with not only a poor quality of Coal but dirty and slaty beside, but buy of C. W. NEAL & BRO. who deal only in the best qualities. 25tf

Go to I. W. HARTMAN'S for nice, new, plain and good Dishes.

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I. W. HARTMAN'S March Calicoes are beautiful. Go and see them.

DANIEL YOCUM has removed his Clothing Store to Henry Hartman's building, in the room occupied as a Carpet Store, where he now has a full supply of goods. Call and see. jan29tf

Machine Needles and Oil at MARR'S.

Selling at reduced prices at E. M. KNORR'S in order to make room for Spring Goods.

Go to RUSSELL'S for your Extra Maple Syrup—clear as crystal. Only One Dollar per Gallon.

TO THE PUBLIC.—Go to W. H. BROWN and get one pound best Tea in market, put up in a beautiful Japanned Gilt Cannister, for one dollar.

Go to MARR'S for fresh Soda Ash and Lye.

MOYER & KEIM will give for the next thirty days great inducements in their line of business. Their stock consists in part of
Harness,
Saddles,
Whips,
and in fact all things kept in a first-class Harness and Saddler Establishment. Call and see them.

ROBERT ROAN makes Picture Frames to order.

Our own make of Calf Boots, sewed, for $8.00, at E. M. KNORR'S.

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All Coal slated and screened before leaving the old established coal yard of C. W. NEAL & BRO. 25tf

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" " " " footed	7 50
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If you want a good Ham,
If you want clean and good Tea,
If you want Coffee—Java or Rio,
If you want good Canned Fruit,
If you want the best Mackerel,
If you want Sugar for the least money,
If you want the best Syrups in town,
If you want good Cigars,
If you want anything in the Grocery and Provision line, go to RUSSELL'S, Main street. tf-25

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Old Established Coal Yard.

C. W. NEAL & BRO., Wholesale & Retail Dealers in all sizes of the best qualities of Red and White Ash Coal, at the very lowest market rates. Have constantly on hand large stocks of
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Blacksmith's Anthracite,
Bituminous,
and Limeburner's Coal.

Special attention given to the preparation of coal before leaving our yards. Grain and Lumber taken in exchange for coal. Coal delivered to any part of the town at short notice. Orders left at I. W. McKelvy's store, or at our office, will receive prompt attention. Office and Yards at William Neal & Sons' Furnace, East Bloomsburg. Your patronage respectfully solicited.
COAL. [7-6-25] COAL

C. W. NEAL & BRO., spare no expense to end out nice coal. 1t16

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BLANK MORTGAGES for sale cheap at the COLUMBIAN office.

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BLANK DEEDS, on Parchment and linen paper, common and for Administrators, Executors and Trustees, for sale cheap at the COLUMBIAN office.

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A WRONG CUSTOM CORRECTED.

It is quite generally the custom to take strong liver stimulants for the cure of liver complaint, and both the mineral and vegetable kingdoms have been diligently searched to procure the most drastic and poisonous purgatives, in order to produce a powerful effect upon the liver, and arouse the lagging and enfeebled organ. This system of treatment is on the same principle as that of giving a weak and debilitated man large portions of brandy to enable him to do a given amount of work. When the stimulant is withheld, the organ, like the system, gradually relapses into a more torpid or sluggish and enfeebled condition than before. What then is wanted? Medicines, which, while they cause the bile to flow freely from the liver, as that organ is toned into health, will not overwork and thus debilitate it, but will, when their use is discontinued, leave the liver strengthened and healthy. Such remedies are found in Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery and Purgative Pellets.

A CURE OF LIVER DISEASE.
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WILLIAM MEAZEL.

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Do you want nourishing strength-ening food?
Do you want a good appetite?
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If you do use E. P. RUSSELL'S BITTER WINE OF IRON. Don't delay a trial of this valuable tonic!

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The advertiser, having been permanently cured of that dread disease, Consumption, by a simple remedy, is anxious to make known to his fellow sufferers the means of cure. To all who desire it, he will send a copy of the prescription used, (free of charge), with the directions for preparing and using the same, which they will find a sure cure for CONSUMPTION, ASTHMA, BRONCHITIS, &c.

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July 3, 74—29t

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Marriages.

On the 2nd inst., by Rev. T. F. Hoffmeier, Mr. JOHN H. SMITH, of Northumberland, Pa., to Miss SARAH ELLEN THOMAS, of Bloomsburg, Pa.

In Lock Haven, on Wednesday, February 24th, 1875, by the Rev. S. L. Bowman, HARRY F. GLEN, of Philadelphia, to Miss MARY B. YOUNG, of Berwick, Pa.

Deaths.

In Berwick, on the 19th of February, Mrs. AMANDA TAYLOR, relict of the late Solomon Taylor, of Fairmount Springs, Lancaster county, in her 73d year.

In Pamaqua, February 24th, Mr. JESSE DODSON, aged 57 years.

In Afton Scott Township, on the 24th of February, Mrs. CHARITY BERLINGAME, aged 72 years, 7 months and 20 days.

In Centreville, Centre township, on the 27th of February, ELSY ANDERSON, aged about 61 years.

In Jackson township, on Wednesday evening, Feb. 4, MARY, wife of Michael Remig, aged 57 years, 4 months and 9 days.

SHERIFF'S SALES.

BY virtue of sundry writs of Fieri Facias issued out of the Court of Common Pleas of Columbia county, and to me directed, will be exposed to public sale on the premises of Jesse D. Rice on

Saturday the 6th day of March 1875

at two o'clock, p. m., the following described property, to-wit:

All that certain lot of land being a lime quarry, situate in the township of Scott, Columbia county, Pa., bounded on the south by quarry lot of Martin Purcell, on the north by land of Aaron Boon, on the west by quarry lot late of John White deceased, and on the south by land of Aaron Boon; on which are erected a dwelling house, stable, office and other out buildings, Lime Kilns &c.

ALSO,

One other quarry lot situate in the same township, known as quarry lot, bounded on the east by the above described lot, on the north by land of Aaron Boon, on the west by quarry lot late of John White deceased, and on the south by land of Aaron Boon; on which are erected a dwelling house and out building, and three lime kilns.

ALSO,

All that certain lot of land situate in Madison township, Columbia county, bounded by lands of Bennet and Wellner on the north, Valentine Eddinger on the east, by lands of Jeremiah and William Robbins on the South, Valentine Wellner and a public road on the west, containing one acre more or less; thereon are erected a frame dwelling house, a large barn, and out buildings; with the appurtenances.

Seized, taken into execution and to be sold as the property of Jesse D. Rice.
MICHAEL GROVER,
Sheriff's Office, Sheriff.
Bloomsburg, Feb. 12, 1875-4t.

FOR SALE!

Valuable Town Property and Farm at Private Sale!

THE undersigned, one of the Executors of CAROLINE WEAVER, deceased, offers at private sale, the following valuable property, to wit:

ONE TWO-STORY BRICK DWELLING HOUSE,

with out-buildings and lot attached, situated on Main Street, Bloomsburg, Pa. This house is suitable for two families.

Also—one two-story frame dwelling house, with out-buildings, frame stable and good lot attached. This property is opposite the residence of the late Dr. Weaver.

Also—one two-story frame dwelling house with stable, out-buildings and lot attached situated on Iron street, Bloomsburg, Pa.

Also—six vacant lots situated on Fourth Street.

Also—a valuable farm situated on each side of the road leading from Bloomsburg to Danville, in the town of Mifflinville, Pa. Said farm contains 90 acres of land.

For terms of sale apply to
GEORGE W. CORNELL, Executor.
Feb. 12, 75-6m. Bloomsburg, Pa.

PUBLIC SALE.

IN PURSUANCE OF AN ORDER OF the Orphans' Court of Columbia county, the undersigned as Administrator of Henry K. Barr, late of the township of Locust, in said county, deceased, will expose to Public Sale on the premises on

Saturday March 6th, 1875.

the following described real estate to-wit: All that certain

TRACT OF LAND

situate in Locust township, in said county, adjoining lands of Solomon Heim on the North, lands of Jacob Levan and William Tyson on the west, and lands of colored Wentz and Silvan Bate on the south, containing

TEN AND ONE-FOURTH ACRES,

More or less, on which is erected a two-story

FRAME HOUSE.

The land is all cleared.

TERMS.—Ten per cent of one-fourth of the purchase money shall be paid at the striking down of the property, the one-fourth less the ten per cent. of the original amount on the 1st day of April, 1875, on which day a certain deed or deeds will be executed to the purchaser with interest from the confirmation nisi.

Possession given on first day of April, 1875 on purchaser complying with terms of sale, and giving security for payment of purchase money.

Sale to commence at one o'clock, p. m. of said day.
HIRAM EYERLY, Admr.
Locust, Feb. 19, 1875-4t.

PUBLIC SALE
Of Valuable
REAL ESTATE.

IN pursuance of an order of the Orphans' Court of Columbia county, Pennsylvania, on

SATURDAY, MARCH 20th, 1875,

at 10 o'clock a. m., Isaac K. Ritrebaugh, Executor of Adam Klink, late of Benton township, deceased, will expose to sale by public vendue or outcry on the premises a certain tract or lot of land containing

115 ACRES AND 31 PERCHES,

strict measure, bounded by land of Thomas Gilbert, George Miller, Samuel Keel, Joe Reeder, John Karver and Hannah L. Stine, and being the same tract of land which the said Adam Klink purchased of Hannah L. Stine, and upon which there are about SIXTY-FIVE ACRES CLEARED LAND, and the balance is all timbered with White Pine and White Oak. There are erected thereon

2 Dwelling Houses and a Frame Barn,

There is also a good bearing Apple orchard and various other Fruit Trees on the premises.

Special terms will be made known at sale.

Late the estate of said deceased, situate in the township of Benton, the county aforesaid.
I. K. RITTENBAUGH,
Benton, Feb. 26, 1875-6t. Executor.

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PUBLIC SALE

OF VALUABLE

REAL ESTATE!

BY VIRTUE OF AN ORDER OF THE Orphans' Court of Columbia county, the undersigned, administrator of the estate of Peter R. Wilcox, deceased, will expose to sale by Public Vendue, on

Saturday, March 13th, 1875

The following real estate, viz: A valuable

LOT OF GROUND

Situate in Bloomsburg township, in said county, about two miles from Bloomsburg, bounded by lands of George P. Lee, Christian Mrs. Stahl and the public road leading from Bloomsburg to Berwick, and containing about

FOURTEEN ACRES,

All cleared and in good farming condition. There are on the premises a

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The above property is within five minutes walk of the railroad depot.

CONDITIONS OF SALE.—Ten per cent of one-fourth of the purchase money to be paid at the striking down of the property, five one-fourths less the ten per cent. at the confirmation nisi into and balance in one year thereafter with interest from confirmation nisi.

Possession to be given April 1st, A. D., 1875.

Sale to commence at 10 o'clock of said day.
LAFAYETTE HESS,
HENRY SHAFFER
February 16th 1875. Administrators

PUBLIC SALE

OF VALUABLE

REAL ESTATE!

THE UNDERSIGNED, APPOINTED BY the Orphan's Court of Columbia county, Trustees to sell the real estate of Mary Hornsteel, late of Mifflin township, in said county, deceased, will expose to sale by public outcry upon the premises on

Saturday, March 20th, 1875,

at 10 o'clock a. m. the following valuable real estate, situate in the township of Mifflin, in said county, bounded on the north and east by lands of Cornelius Lockwood, on the south by Abraham Maxwell and on the west by Leonard Ellenwood, and containing about

ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTEEN ACRES,

on which are erected a

Frame Bank Barn and Two Small Houses.

There is a good orchard on the premises and Good Water close to the house.

TERMS OF SALE.—One-fourth of the purchase money to be paid at the striking down of the property, and the remaining three-fourths in one year thereafter with interest from the first day of April, A. D. 1875.

Possession to be given on the first day of April, A. D. 1875.
S. G. MILLER,
Feb. 26, 1875 Trustee.

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Miscellaneous.

JOHN SMITH.

"John Anderson, my Jo John, ye were my first acquaintance,
But as for being the only John, I tell you sir you ain't;
There's a precious little John who sot forever in a corner,
Whose mother was a mystery whose father was a Horner.
And there's the John that built the house to hold the farm-yard sarce,
And last but not of our childish days, the giant-killer Jack.
And the old John Lackland, he who signed the blessed Magna Charta,
And Jacks, who sewing still fall down, deceased, followed arter
And good Prince John, the gentle one, and the sturdy walking Knox,
John Doe versus Richard with myttle Dick fill Rayland's jury box.
And he that in poetic mood (one Milton) did attain
Great fame for losing Paradise and getting it again!

But of all the Johns since days of Noah, the world has ever known,
For infinite variety John Smith must stand alone.
For he is tall, and he is short, and he is black, and white,
And now he is the first to run, and now the first to fight.
And he's a learned sage, and a studio nt to craven,
And you may find him any da in any street in town—
His wives are legion, and his creeds so numerous have become,
You'll find his name in every church, as one to lean upon
For heresies they also say his match was never known,
And Mrs. Smith, in simple fate, says she's the only one!
Yet all these contradictions, as dark as they appear,
Should you know this hydra-headed man, would be as day light clear.

M. D. T

In Russia beds are placed over stoves.

Ladies are to don Byron collars and cuffs.

Queen Victoria's daughters are all good cooks.

A new color in Sphinx—a deep stone gray.

Who is the first boy mentioned in the Bible? "Chap. 1."

"If you bite me, I'll bite you," as the pepperpod said to the boy.

The young lady who "took the eye of everybody," has been arrested for stealing.

"That beats awl!" exclaimed a shoemaker, as he looked at a shoe making machine.

"What are you doing there?" said a grocer to a fellow who was stealing his lard. "I am getting fat," was the reply.

Why are sheep the least moral of animals? Because they gambol in their youth, spend much of their time on the turf, many of them are black legs, and they all get fleeced, frequently.

"She's a small woman," said a youth of his mother, "but when she hails off her slipper and says, "Sam'l, come here this minit," we boys go just as though she weighed four hundred pounds."

The young man who resolved to commit suicide because his sweetheart married an undertaker, owes his life to the second thought that he might be furnishing his rival a job.

"Will the boy who threw that pepper on the stove please come up here and get a present of a nice book," said a Sunday School Superintendent in Iowa; but the boy never moved. He was a far-seeing boy.

A Maryland man, whose wife dropped dead a few days ago, had the funeral put off one day longer, to get the balance of his corn husked. He said it wouldn't make any difference to her, as she was always good-natured.

When a Persian speaks up and says that the Shah is a long-nosed rhinoceros, he has just about time, before his head flies off, to send word to his wife that she needn't sit up to unlock the hall door for him that evening.—*Detroit Free Press.*

An exchange has an acquaintance who remarks that he has often heard the proverb, "A friend in need is a friend indeed," but he says he can't see where the laugh comes in. He has a friend in need who is always borrowing money of him.

There is a man in a condemned cell in Paris who cannot be guillotined until the authorites ascertain his name. He was condemned by a name since found to be false, and there is no precedent for the execution of a man whose name is not known; so he must wait.

A fellow contracted with a wood dealer for a quantity of "tip-top wood." The man began to deliver it; but it was so full of limbs that the purchaser demurred, saying that it was not good. The woodman replied, "It was just what I agreed to deliver, "tip-top wood," and I believe this grew on that part of the tree."

"Oh! your nose is as cold as ice," a father thought he heard his daughter exclaim, as he was reading in the next room. He walked in for an explanation, but the young fellow was at one end of the sofa and the girl, at the other, but who looked so innocent and unconscious that the old gentleman concluded that his ears had deceived him, and so retired from the scene without a word.

A story is told of an old gentleman who always took notes of the minister's sermons, and on one occasion read them to the minister himself.

"Stop, stop!" said the latter, on the occurrence of a certain sentence, "I didn't say that."

"I know you didn't," was the reply; "I put that in myself to make sense."

"Eat your bread Charles—do not throw it away," said a learned and a good judge to one of his family, adding; "for who knows, in the vicissitudes of this life, if you may not some day want it?" The old gentleman had to cough, look learned, and go away, when the youngster answered more logically, "If I eat it, how can I have it when I want it?"

A Michigan lumberman being poorly provided with materials of sustenance for his men, fed them with pork cooked with the rind upon it. A young man of the company, not liking that outer portion of the food, was observed by the host to be carefully removing the outside covering, whereupon mine host said:

"Young man, we eat rind and all here."

To which the youth replied: "All right old man, I'm cutting it off for you."

An editor relates how a colored barber made a dead-head of him. He offered him he usual dime for shaving, when the fellow drew himself up with considerable pomposity and said: "Well, what of it?" says he. "We neber charge editors nuffin." "But my worthy friend," we continued, "there are a good many editors traveling now-a-days, and such liberality on your part would prove a ruinous business." "Oh! neber mind," remarked the barber, "we make it up off the gemmen."

It is very evident that there is to be a carnival of jobbery at Washington. The minority are now powerless to resist or delay the most extravagant legislation proposed. A desperate band of men in Congress, condemned by their constituencies and permanently retired from elective office, are now ready to signalize their leave-taking by a general depletion of the treasury.

Girl Wanted.

Yes, I want another—"A tidy girl to do housework in a small family—good wages and a good home." That's the way my advertisement always reads, and as soon as the paper is out the girls commence coming—Tidy girls from ten to sixty-five years old come pulling the bell, and when told that they won't suit they put on such a look of contempt for the door, the door-plate, the front gate and the entire institution that the world seems three degrees hotter than before.

I always engage the girl, this is because of an idea of mine that I can read human nature, and because I do not fear to tell them in plain English what is expected of them. After the door-bell has been pulled about five times the right looking sort of a girl makes her appearance. She says she saw the advertisement, and is invited in. She says she can do any kind of cooking, loves to wash, is fond of children, can never sleep after five o'clock in the morning, never goes out evenings, does not know a young man in Detroit, and she'd be willing to work for low wages for the sake of getting a good home.

She was told to drop her bundle, lay off her things and go to work, and a great burden rolls off my mind as I congratulate myself that the prize-medal girl has arrived at last. She's all right up to about seven in the evening, when she is suddenly missed, and returns about ten o'clock to say that she "just dropped out" to get a postage stamp.—The next day she begins to scatter the teaspoons in the back yard, stops her ironing to read a dime novel, and at supper time wants to know if I can't send the children off to live with their grandfather, get a cook-stove with silver-plated knobs and have an addition built on to the kitchen. That evening a big red-headed butcher walks in, crosses his legs over the kitchen table and proceeds to court Sarah. She doesn't last but a day or two longer and then we secure another.

This one is right from New Hampshire, and doesn't know a soul in Michigan, and yet she hasn't finished the dinner dishes before a cross-eyed young man rings the bell and says he'd like to see Hannah for a moment. After seeing him, Hannah concludes not to stay, as we are so far from St. John's church, and as we don't appear to be religious people.

The next one especially recommends herself as being "just like their own mother" to the children, and isn't in the house half a day before she draws Small Pica over her knee and gives him a regular old Canadian waltz.

The next one has five recommendations as a neat and tidy girl, and yet it isn't three days before she bakes the shoe brush with the beef, washes her hands in a soup tureen, or drops hair into the pudding.

I growl about these things after awhile, but I am met with the statement that they had worked five years for Governor this, or Lord that, and that in all this time no one has so much as looked cross-eyed at them. I am called mean, ill-tempered, particular, fault-finding, and all that, and the girl goes away wondering why the Lord has spared me as long as He has.

We've been wanting "a good, tidy girl" for these last twelve years, and I suppose that we may go another dozen and still be wanting.

Sniffles brought his two weeks, spree to a close on Thursday night. He lay on a lounge in the parlor, feeling as mean as sour lager, when something in the corner of the room attracted his attention. Raising on his elbow he gazed steadily at it. Rubbing his eyes, he stared again, and as he stared his terror grew. Calling his wife, he asked hoarsely:

"Mirandy, what is that?"

"Whas is what, Likey?"

Sniffles's name is Lycurgus, and his wife calls him Likey for short and sweet.

"Why that—that—thing in the corner," said the frightened man, pointing at it with a hand shaking like a politician.

"Likey, dear, I see nothing," replied the woman.

"What, you don't see it!" he shrieked. "Then I've got 'em. Oh, heavens! bring me the Bible, Mirandy, bring it quick! Here, here on this sacred book I swear never to touch another drop of whisky. If I break my vow, may my right hand cleave to the roof of my mouth, and—"

Here, catching another glimpse of the terrible object he clutched his wife and begged in piteous tones:

"Don't leave me—don't leave your Likey," and burying his face in the folds of her dress, he sobbed and moaned himself into a troubled sleep

Then his wife stole gently to the corner, picked up the toy snake, and threw it into the stove.

CURE FOR NEURALGIA.—A friend of ours, who suffered severe pains from neuralgia, hearing of a noted physician in Germany who invariably cured the disease, crossed the ocean and visited Germany for treatment. He was permanently cured after a short sojourn, and the doctor freely gave him the simple remedy used which was nothing but a poultice and tea made from our common field-thistle. The leaves are macerated and used on the part afflicted as a poultice, while a small quantity of the leaves are boiled down to the proportion of a quart to a pint, and a small wine glass of the decoction before each meal. Our friend says he has never known it to fail of giving relief, while in almost every case it has effected a cure.—*Exchange.*

The Poor Boy.

Don't be ashamed my lad, if you have a patch on your elbow. It is no mark of disgrace. It speaks well for your industrious mother. For our part, we would rather see a dozen patches on your jacket than hear one profane or vulgar word escape your lips. No good boy will shun you, because you cannot dress as well as your companion; and if a bad boy sometimes laughs at your appearance, say nothing, my good lad, but walk on. We know many a rich and good man who was once as poor as you. There is your next door neighbor in particular—now one of the wealthiest men—who told us a short time since, that when a child he was glad to receive the cold potatoes from his neighbor's table. Be good, my boy, and if you are poor you will be respected a great deal more than if you were the son of a rich man and were addicted to bad habits.

This is the way they do it up in the "State of Greene," according to the Waynesburg *Republican*: "There is a woman in the west end of the county who can stand in a half bushel measure and shoulder four bushels of wheat in a wool sack. She offers to bet five dollars that she can throw down any man in Aleppo township. Another woman in the same township tackled a two hundred pound man in church a short time since, in the presence of a large congregation, because the man claimed to be a Universalist, and made him beg for mercy.

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WHAT IS NEEDED.

BOSTON, Feb. 13, 1871

MR. H. R. STEVENS:

Dear Sir—About one year since I found myself in a feeble condition from general debility. VEGETINE was strongly recommended to me by a friend who had been much benefitted by its use. I procured the article and after using several bottles, was restored to health and discontinued its use. I feel quite confident that there is no medicine superior to it for those complaints for which it is especially prepared, and would cheerfully recommend it to those who feel that they need something to restore them to perfect health. Respectfully yours,

C. L. PETTINGILL,
Firm of S. M. Pettengill & Co., 10 State St., Boston.

CINCINNATI, NOV. 26, 1872.

MR. H. R. STEVENS:

Dear Sir. The two bottles of VEGETINE furnished me by our agent, my wife has used with great benefit.

For a long time she has been troubled with dizziness and cold feet; these troubles are now entirely removed by the use of VEGETINE.

She was also troubled with Dyspepsia and general debility; and has been greatly benefitted.

THOS. GILMORE, 229½ Walnut street.

FEL MYSELF A NEW MAN.

NATICK, MASS., June 1st, 1872.

MR. H. H. STEVENS:

Dear Sir—Through the advice and earnest persuasion of Rev. E. S. Best, of this place, I have been taking VEGETINE for dyspepsia of which I have suffered for years.

I have used only two bottles and already feel myself a new man. Respectfully,

Dr. J. W. CARTER.

Report from a Practical Chemist and Apothecary.

BOSTON, Jan. 1, 1874.

Dear Sir—This to certify that I have sold at retail 15½ dozen (186 bottles) of your VEGETINE since April 12, 1870, and can truly say that it has given the best satisfaction of any remedy for the complaints for which it is recommended, that I ever sold. Scarcely a day passes without some of my customers testify to its merits on themselves or their friends. I am perfectly cognizant of several cases of scrofulous tumors being cured by VEGETINE alone in this vicinity. Very respectfully yours,

A. L. GILMAN, 466 Broadway.

To H. R. STEVENS, Esq.

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March 5, '75-1y

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Feb 19, 1875—6w

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Dr. J. F. FITLER—Being aware, sir, I graduated at the University of Penn'a in 1836, and after 20 years' experience, perfected **Dr. Fitler's Vegetable Rheumatic Syrup.** I guarantee it an infallible cure for Nerve, Kidney and Rheumatic diseases. Sworn to this 25th April, 1871.

J. A. OSBOURN, Notary Public, PHILA.

We Clergymen were Cured by it, and will satisfy any one who so on. Rev. Thos. Murphy, D. D., Frankford, Phila. Rev. C. H. Ewing, Media, Pa. Rev. J. W. Buchanan, Clarence, Iowa. Rev. G. G. Smith, Pittsford, N. Y. Rev. Jos. Beggs, Phila. Chaplain, Phila. Jail. Afflicted should write Dr. Fitler, Phila., for explanatory Pamphlet & guarantee, gratis. $50 Reward for any Testimonials not genuine. None such can be produced. Sold by druggists.

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Will receive particular attention, and all local affairs proper for publication will be carefully laid before our readers.

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Will be presented to our readers, from time to time, in life-like attitude and with entire justice and firmness.

No frauds shall be committed upon the People or Wrong done them without full exposure in the columns of the COLUMBIAN.

COUNTY MATTERS.

All official county advertisements appear in this paper, as will also intelligent synopsis of the proceedings of the Courts and the actions of the County Officers when of public interest.

The COLUMBIAN already has much the largest circulation of any paper in the county—more than the combined circulation of the other papers—and is the only paper printed in the county that supports the principles and time-honored usages of the Democratic party. Its circulation and consequent usefulness may, however, be much extended if its friends will use their influence to stir further add to its list of subscribers. At additional patronage will be required by improving the paper, by adding to its editorial and reportorial force and increasing the quantity of its reading matter. As an

ADVERTISING MEDIUM

The COLUMBIAN is unapproached in this quarter of the State, and our

JOBBING FACILITIES

Are superior to any other.

Our friends are invited to call at the office whenever they come to Bloomsburg.

RAIL ROAD TIME TABLES.

PENNSYLVANIA RAIL ROAD.

Philadelphia & Erie R. R. Division.

WINTER TIME TABLE.

ON and after SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 15th, 1874, the Trains on the Philadelphia & Erie Rail Road Division will run as follows:

WESTWARD.

FAST LINE	leaves Philadelphia		10.52 p. m.
" "	"	Harrisburg	5.00 p. m.
" "	"	Williamsport	9.15 p. m.
" "	"	Lock Haven	10.20 p. m.
" "	arrive at	Buffalo	9.00 a. m.
ERIE MAIL leaves Philadelphia			11.55 p. m.
" "	"	Harrisburg	4.25 a. m.
" "	"	Williamsport	8.35 a. m.
" "	"	Lock Haven	9.45 a. m.
" "	"	Renovo	11.10 a. m.
" "	arr. at Erie		8.05 p. m.
ELMIRA MAIL leaves Philadelphia			8.00 a. m.
" "	"	Harrisburg	1.25 p. m.
" "	"	Williamsport	6.30 p. m.
" "	arr. at Lock Haven		7.30 p. m.
LOCK HAVEN ACCOM. leaves Harrisburg			9.15 a. m.
" "	"	Williamsport	1.05 p. m.
" "	"	Lock Haven	4.10 p. m.

TO

EASTWARD.

PHILA EXPRESS leaves Lock Haven			6.40 a. m.
" "	"	Williamsport	7.55 a. m.
" "	arrives at	Harrisburg	12.10 a. m.
" "	"	Philadelphia	4.15 a. m.
ERIE MAIL leaves Erie			11.20 a. m.
" "	"	Renovo	8.25 p. m.
" "	"	Lock Haven	9.45 p. m.
" "	"	Williamsport	10.50 p. m.
" "	arr. at	Harrisburg	2.50 a. m.
" "	arr. at	Philadelphia	7.40 a. m.
ELMIRA MAIL leaves Lock Haven			9.4 a. m.
" "	"	Williamsport	1 10 p. m.
" "	"	Sunbury	12 10 p. m.
" "	arr. at	Harrisburg	6 55 p. m.
" "	arr. at	Philadelphia	6.40 p. m.
NIAGARA EXPRESS leaves Kane			9.0 a. m.
" "	"	Renovo	4.55 p. m.
" "	"	Lock Haven	5.25 "
" "	"	Williamsport	6.25 p. m.
" "	"	Sunbury	8.45 p. m.
" "	arr. at	Harrisburg	10.55 p. m.
" "	"	Philadelphia	3.50 a. m.

Mail East connects east and west at Erie with L. S. & M. S. R. W. and at Irvineton with Oil Creek and Allegheny R. R. W.

Mail West with east and west trains on L. S. & M. S. R. W. and at Corry and Irvineton with Oil Creek and Allegheny R. R. W.

Elmira Mail and Buffalo Express make close connections at Williamsport with N. C. R. W. train north, and at Harrisburg with N. C. R. W. train south.

WM. A. BALDWIN,
Jan. 6, '75—tf General Supt.

REMINGTON.

The REMINGTON SEWING MACHINE has sprung rapidly into favor as possessing the best combination of good qualities, namely; Light running, smooth, Noiseless, Rapid, Durable, with Perfect Lock Stitch.

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March 5, '75—2m

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LAYTON RUNYON, BLOOMSBURG, PENN'A

keeps constantly on hand a Full and Complete Stock of

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which he will sell to the Public at Prices so Low as to defy competition.

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PATENT WHEELS, OLD'S AND WARNER'S PATENTS,

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Axles, Springs, Gum and Oil Cloths, Valentines Varnishes,

and a general Stock of

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Building Materials, such as Duncannon Nails, Lewis' Lead, Best Colors, Pure Oils, &c., as low as they can be bought in the county

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Sep. 11, 1874—tf.

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J. F. WIDEMAN & CO.

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In the County.

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In all its Branches, Carefully Selected and Purchased low for Cash giving us Advantages for Selling which can not be excelled by any other Hardware Store in the Country.

GIVE US A CALL AND SEE FOR YOURSELF.

We GUARANTEE both in PRICE and QUALITY of our Goods.

The Largest Store in the Country.

May 29, '74— J. F. WIDEMAN & CO., Bloomsburg, Pa

PHILADELPHIA AND READING RAILROAD.

WINTER ARRANGEMENT.

NOV. 9th, 1874.

TRAINS LEAVE RUPERT AS FOLLOWS: (SUNDAY EXCEPTED)

For New York, Philadelphia, Reading, Pottsville Tamaqua, &c., 11,55 a. m.
For Catawissa, 11,55 a. m. and 7,36 p. m.
For Williamsport, 6,28 a. m. and 4,06 p. m.

TRAINS FOR RUPERT LEAVE AS FOLLOWS, (SUNDAY EXCEPTED.)

Leave New York, 9,00 a. m.
Leave Philadelphia, 9,15 a. m.
Leave Reading, 11,30 a. m., Pottsville, 12,10 p. m. and Tamaqua, 1,30 p. m.
Leave Catawissa, 6,20 a. m. and 4,00 p. m.
Leave Williamsport, 9,20 a. m. and 5,00 p. m.
Passengers to and from New York and Philadelphia go through without change of cars.

J. E. WOOTEN,
May 8, 1874—tf. General Superintendent.

NORTHERN CENTRAL RAILWAY COMPANY.

On and after November 20th, 1873, trains will leave SUNBURY as follows:

NORTHWARD.

Erie Mail	2.30 a. m.,	arrive Elmira 11.50 a. m.
"		" Canandaigua 3.35 p. m.
"		" Rochester 5.15 "
"		" Niagara 9.40 "
Renovo accommodation	11.10 a. m.	arrive Williamsport 12.55 p. m.
Elmira Mail	4.15 a. m.,	arrive Elmira 10.20 a. m.
Buffalo Express	7.15 a. m.	arrive Buffalo 8.50 p. m.

SOUTHWARD.

Buffalo Express	2.50 a. m.	arrive Harrisburg 4.50 a. m.
"		" Baltimore 8.40 "
Elmira Mail	11.15 a. m.,	arrive Harrisburg 1.55 p. m.
"		" Washington 10.30 "
"		" Baltimore 6.30 "
"		" Washington 8.30 "
Harrisburg accommodation	8.40 p. m.	arrive Harrisburg 10.50 p. m.
		arrive Baltimore 2.25 a. m.
		" Washington 6.15 "
Erie Mail	12.55 a. m.	arrive Harrisburg 3.05 a. m.
"		" Baltimore 8.40 "
"		" Washington 10.35 "

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And we shall endeavor to sell them at prices which you will appreciate. With my thanks for your valued favors in the past and trusting for a continuance of the same, I am

Yours Respectfully,

W. P. Jones,

Nov. 11, '74.—tf

NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Bloomsburg Gas company will put in service pipe and furnish meters to the citizens of Bloomsburg for $12,50 where the distance from the street does not exceed 50 feet; excess of 50 feet will be charged at the rate of 50 cents per foot until September 1st 1875. C. W. MILLER, Secretary.

Sept. 11, '74.—tf

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Where we have no Agents we will deliver a Machine for the price named above, at the nearest Rail Road Station of Purchasers.

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Nov.

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NEXT TERM BEGINS

Monday, August 3d, 1874.

For particulars, Address,

R. H WHITACRE,

June 5, '74—tf MILLVILLE, PA.

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If men will enjoy good health, let them use VINEGAR BITTERS as a medicine, and avoid the use of alcoholic stimulants in every form.

No Person can take these Bitters according to directions, and remain long unwell, provided their bones are not destroyed by mineral poison or other means, and vital organs wasted beyond repair.

Grateful Thousands proclaim VINEGAR BITTERS the most wonderful Invigorator that ever sustained the sinking system.

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